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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	KNUDSON ET AL.	Examiner:	S. GILBERT
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Title:	AIRWAY STIFFENING IMPLANT (as hereby amended)		

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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